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VIRTUAL OVERLAY NETWORKS

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PROPOSAL FOR AMENDMENT OF DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

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In response to the outstanding Office Action, mailed January 14, 2002, applicant proposes to amend Figures 1A, 1B and 2 as shown by the additions highlighted in yellow on the accompanying sketches.

In Figures 1A, 1B and 2 the words PRIOR ART are added to each of the figures. No new matter is added.

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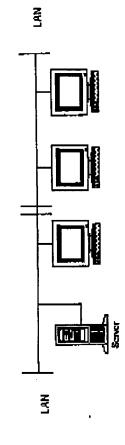


FIGURE 1A (PRIOR ART)

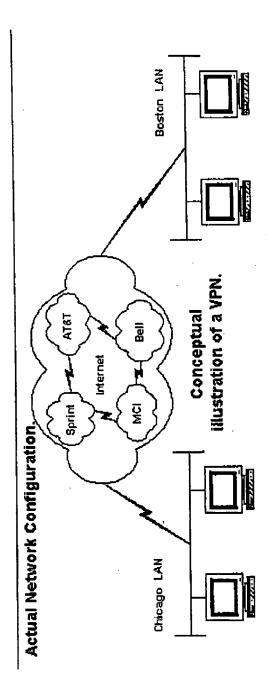


FIGURE 1B (PRIOR ART)

ROUTE TABLE 206	REACHABILITY INFORMATION	YYYYYY	YWWX	AAAAAA	YYYYYY	, AAAAAA		
ROUTE T	VPN-ID	XXXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX		
	VPN-ID 201	IP HEADER WITH	IP HEADER WITH "REACHABILITY INFORMATION" 203			IP PAYLOAD 204		

FIGURE 2 (PR 10R ART)